

CITY OF KINGMAN
MEETING OF THE HISTORICAL PRESERVATION COMMISSION
City Council Chambers
310 N. 4th Street
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5:30 P.M.

AGENDA

Tuesday, February 24, 2015

REGULAR MEETING

CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The Regular Meeting minutes of November 25, 2014

2. CALL TO THE PUBLIC – COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

Those wishing to address the Commission should fill out request forms in advance. Action taken as a result of public comments will be limited to directing staff to study the matter or rescheduling the matter for consideration and decision at a later time. Comments are limited to two minutes in matters regarding Historical Preservation.

3. OPEN MEETING LAWS

City Clerks Office - Annual Open Meeting Laws

4. MAYOR RICHARD ANDERSON

Statement by Mayor Richard Anderson to Commission Members

5. ANNUAL ELECTION OF CHAIRPERSON / VICE CHAIRPERSON

Annual Appointment of Chairperson and Vice Chairperson

6. MEMBER REAPPOINTMENT

Member Reappointment of Jan Adams

7. BONELLI HOUSE – 100TH BIRTHDAY

Discussion and Possible Action
Framed Photograph

8. SHARON HACKLEY NATURE TRAIL

Gate Sign
Key
Sign
Property

9. C.A.R.E.

Citizens Alliance Revitalization & Economics presentation by Joni Millin
Kingman Chamber of Commerce Board Member

10. ROUTE 66 2015 FESTIVAL

Discussion on Event for 2015 Best of the West 66 – September 25th-27th

11. QUARTERLY MEETINGS

Discussion on quarterly meetings

12. STAFF LIAISON REPORT

Metcalf Park Ramada Stage and Steps
Next Meeting will be May 26th, 2015

13. ANNOUNCEMENTS BY COMMISSION MEMBERS

Limited to announcements, availability/attendance, requests for agenda items for future meetings.

ADJOURNMENT

Posted _____ by Karen Fogg

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Minutes

Tuesday, November 25, 2014

Members:	Officers:	Visitors Signing In:
D'Arcy Wagner, Chairperson	M. Meersman, Parks and Recreation Director	See attached list
M. Glancy, Vice Chairperson	C. Young, Vice Mayor-Council Liaison	
J. Adams	B. Shilling, Grant Administrator	
Laura Hansen	K. Fogg, Recording Secretary	
Erika Hatcher		
Angele Florisi		
Nannette Russell		

REGULAR MEETING

CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL

Chairperson Wagner called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

Commission Members Present: Wagner, Glancy, Florisi, Hansen, Russell

Staff: Meersman, Fogg

Commission Members Absent: Council Member Young, Adams, Hatcher

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The Regular Meeting minutes of August 26, 2014.

MOTION by Commission Member Erika Hatcher to APPROVE the regular meeting minutes of August 26, 2014 was SECONDED by Commission Member Angele Florisi. MOTION APPROVED by vote of 5-0.

2. CALL TO THE PUBLIC – COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

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3. MEMBER REAPPOINTMENT

A MOTION by Chairperson D'Arcy Wagner for member Angele Florisi to be reappointed to the commission was SECONDED by Nanette Russell. All approved by 4-0 vote.

A MOTION by Vice Chairperson Mert Glancy for member Laura Hansen to be reappointed to the commission was SECONDED by Nanette Russell. All approved by 4-0 vote.

Jan Adams reappointment will be addressed at the next meeting.

4. BONELLI HOUSE – 100TH BIRTHDAY

Director Meersman spoke about the 100th Year Birthday with a Celebration sometime in May. We will get the date when it's set.

The flowerbed improvements are looking nice. There's also been a lot of work done to the house. Improvements to the furnace, air conditioning, they re-grouted around the bottom where animals were getting in and eating the insides of the house. The Bonelli family paid for the improvements at around \$14,000. Work will be done to the deck that goes around the upstairs. There's \$9,500 left to pay for that.

Member Florisi asked if the Historical Commission needed to be involved in this. Is the Historical Society handling that?

Vice Chairperson Glancy stated that the Museum is handling that. At the board meeting it was said that the City Parks & Recreation Department might be painting it, if we get the paint.

Director Meersman stated that Shannon has not contacted him about it. They may be talking with the Building Department to do it and if that doesn't work out, they may contact him.

Member Florisi wanted clarification that the Museum is managing this.

Vice Chairperson Glancy stated they were and it would be nice if they were there.

Director Meersman said the commission members would be getting an invitation.

Member Florisi just didn't know if there was something this commission needed to specifically do for the Celebration.

Chairperson Wagner asked if it was to be an open house or some kind of fundraiser.

Director Meersman said it was to be just a birthday party of some nature just to celebrate and he will have more information at the next meeting. It's still in the very early stages of planning. Dates aren't nailed down or no firm plans, they just know it will be in May at some time.

Vice Chairperson Glancy said they may have Sounds of Kingman provide some entertainment.

Chairperson Wagner asked if the Daughters were to be the docents.

Vice Chairperson Glancy said the Daughters haven't been for quite a while. They use to but they have distanced themselves from the Bonelli House.

Chairperson Wagner said she had a nice picture of the Bonelli House and thought if someone wanted to raffle it off, who would I give it to?

Director Meersman said he would take it and pass it along.

Chairperson Wagner said it was taken by a photographer named Ruben, she wasn't sure who that was, but she picked it up at an estate sale and thought she should keep it. It has a nice frame. Maybe if there was a silent auction, this could go in. Sometimes it's fun to have a raffle prize.

Director Meersman said it would be on the next agenda to discuss.

5. SHARON HACKLEY NATURE TRAIL

Chairperson Wagner stated that member Florisi provided us with the brochure that she did.

Member Florisi said she put it together as a rack card so it can go in the tourist racks. I don't know if we've got money to get some printed.

Chairperson Wagner said there should still be money in the account.

Member Florisi said she put a sign together but wasn't aware that the city already had done one. I was trying to make everything look the same. She went over to the trail and took some pictures to put the brochure together and unfortunately she went right after a big storm and the trail was a wreck. The pond had filled in again. Can anything be done to put some kind of retention wall on the back side of the pond? It's so sad not to have the little pond there but apparently you said it gets filled in every time it rains.

Director Meersman said that it's on the school property and my department has been maintaining it but it's not really our responsibility to maintain it. The school doesn't want to keep filling the pond with water because there is no one there to maintain it. They're bones maintenance right now. We're doing it out of the goodness of our heart but we can't afford to do too much out of the goodness of our heart because our budgets been slashed everywhere too.

Member Floris suggested maybe getting some other fund raising project to keep the maintenance going. There was also Cere Taggart that was interested.

Member Hansen stated she has a data base where it's open for people that are interested in volunteer work or are doing volunteer work. Is this something if we had an organization that's interested in coming from time to time, maybe monthly, would they see you or is that something we can do. She would be more than happy to get behind that. There are opportunities through the United Way and different organizations a data base of volunteer opportunities for people and organizations in the community for people that want to volunteer. Too often the problem, there's

willing hands and don't know where to go. Is that something you feel we could add to the list? Mr. Meersman will need to direct her on it.

Director Meersman said it's not our property to be able to say yes. You would probably have to talk to somebody in the school to find out what direction they are going in. He could check on that with the school and could email her. He isn't sure what the schools level of wanting it maintained is, like keeping water in the pond filled and running. It doesn't fill up naturally by itself. Every time it gets a big rain, it fills with mud.

Member Florisi asked if anyone had been there since the storm.

Director Meersman stated that his guys have gone in and cleaned the trail. It takes regular maintenance. It's been very helpful to have the inmate labor go in and do it with one of our employees. It's a lot more affordable for them instead of our fulltime employees doing it. We still have plenty of work to do in other areas that we're neglecting when we go to do that.

Chairperson Wagner asked if anyone has ever looked at some kind of screen or something to keep the mud out. Or is that impossible?

Director Meersman didn't know if it was impossible but it would take some kind of engineering to build something behind it to divert the water around it.

Member Florisi said she brought her husband out there when she went to take pictures and he was impressed with the little place. So she started putting the Nature Trail guide together and thought once it was finished, it could be laminated to out with the keys and with the \$25.00 deposit, maybe put a little card saying if you would like to help maintain the Nature Trail, donate your \$25.00 deposit to that. She put something with the directions but doesn't have any history of the trail. Is there anything, any place on how it became.

Chairperson Wagner said what made Sharon Hackley do the trail, it's probably in the copy of her Thesis.

Member Florisi said she had a copy of her Master's Thesis and what the thought process was to the piece, the history and restoration of it. She thought she would put a sheet for every plant that had a sign. She took pictures of all the signs and pictures of all the plants that were there. The only plant that had the right name on it was the desert willow but she wanted to show her concept before she put all the work into doing twenty of them. The pages after that were the issues she encountered when doing research on the plants. She has a background in herbs but she isn't a botanist but she changed the cover because the original cover said they were native Arizona plants, most of them are not native to Arizona. Most of them are from Mexico so she put regional instead of Arizona.

In her research, she took the names that were on the signs and put them on the next sheet. The problems she encountered were misspellings, miss-identifications, one of the plants is identified as a plant that's indigenous to the Caribbean not the western desert. She isn't quite sure how to go from this point. Do we leave it the way it is and not do the trail guide.

Chairperson Wagner thought it was a master gardener who identified the plants.

Director Meersman said that it was.

Member Florisi said she did enough research. She spent days on the internet researching these plants. She took the scientific name that was on the plant and researched from the scientific name as opposed to the common name and came up with her findings. We spent a lot of money signs and half of them are spelled wrong. There are a few broken ones out there. There's a couple that never got installed and just sitting loose on the top. There's a couple that have no plants next to. Those are some of the issues she ran into and doesn't know how much farther she should go with it. Maybe we should look to see if we can find some maintenance help with it.

Member Hansen said there's no use sinking money into it if it cannot be maintained properly.

Chairperson Wagner said they may need ten new signs, they did twenty in the beginning.

Member Florisi said they don't have to be new signs, we could leave them with the wrong information on them. I don't know.

Vice Chairperson Glancy asked if we had any more of the slate.

Director Meersman didn't think we had any more but we could get more.

Member Florisi said she knew a sign maker and maybe could get some redone at a less expensive price. She will also ask if the lettering could be shaved down on the existing signs.

Chairperson Wagner also suggested flipping the stone over, flagstone is a soft stone.

Director Meersman said that Roxanne Freiday made the original signs.

Member Russell stated that they are into rocks and have the equipment to sand or grind down or re-polish stones.

Member Florisi said the stone was like a Sedona sandstone.

Chairperson Wagner asked if anyone recalled the cost of the stones when they were done.

Director Meersman didn't recall but said it could be looked up.

Chairperson Wagner said the problem always is that we are still using whatever money we had left from our 2012 fundraiser. We haven't done any other fundraiser and you have to ask permission to do a fundraiser.

Member Florisi said it would seem the process that needs to be done is contact the school district first to see what could be done in terms of maintenance if it's done by them or can we help provide maintenance for it. Then once we get that answer we could move on with another fundraiser.

Member Hansen stated that if we find the answers to those questions, we do need to change the signs. Not knowing was one thing but now that we know the signs are wrong, nobody wants them to be wrong.

Member Florisi said that was what she was concerned about, we may get some people who know what that stuff is and it's supposed to be an educational thing. Does someone have to make a proposal to the school district?

Director Meersman said he would talk to the school and find out what we need to do. Our recreation department utilizes the gym for our After School Program and other programs.

6. C.A.R.E.

Citizens Alliance Revitalization Economic Presentation by Joan Millin.

Chairperson Wagner stated that there was no one here to give a presentation.

Commission Member Laura said the presentation was on the agenda before the Festival but there was not enough for a quorum. I didn't know it was on the agenda and I know she would be willing to come and give a presentation but she needs to be notified.

Director Meersman asked if we wanted to leave it on the agenda and have Member Hansen contact her.

Member Hansen said she would do that.

7. ROUTE 66 FESTIVAL

Chairperson Wagner stated the date for the 2015 Festival is September 26th and she hadn't heard much about it yet.

Director Meersman said the dates are September 26th & 27th and it will be the same weekend as the Andy Devine Days Parade and Rodeo. It's going to be called the "Best of the West Route 66 Festival". It will be sponsored by the city. The city manager and the mayor elect are excited about doing because the last one was so successful. We're having meetings and trying to get people to volunteer.

Member Hansen said she was already contacted and if they do decide to do something she could extend the cleanup and have that also.

Director Meersman said that is why it's on the agenda so people can plan ahead. It will be a very busy weekend especially for our Parks & Recreation Department because we're the ones who do the parade. It will be a challenging time with Metcalfe Park and Locomotive Park all being filled and that's the area we normally stage so we have some challenges to work through.

Vice Chairperson Glancy asked why they decided to do it at the same time.

Director Meersman felt they would all benefit each other. I wasn't in the decision or asked about my opinion.

Member Russell said the Great American Race is coming through at that time and that's why it was scheduled then.

Chairperson Wagner asked what that entails.

Member Hansen stated that it brings more people from out of town here.

Member Russell said people are coming from the same places as this time. There will be old cars coming.

Director Meersman said the group planned it and that's the day they picked. No matter what day gets picked, somebody's not going to like it or it should have been a different date. Everybody has their own thoughts on what the day should be. This was date picked so everyone is geared up and working toward that. The last one was such a success and everyone worked so well together we felt we can get the ball rolling and keep it going. He wanted to keep this commission abreast of the event.

Chairperson Wagner asked if we should talk about whether we wanted to try and do something during that weekend ourselves. What is going at Locomotive will there be booths.

Director Meersman said yes like last time and they are trying to keep it similar to what it was last time. It was pretty successful. There will be a band there and it's still in the very early stages of planning but we've had a couple meetings in the city.

Chairperson Wagner said we should have it on the agenda again.

Member Russell asked the members if they got an email from Josh regarding the electric car and they have put the Historical Committee on that committee. He hasn't talked to any of the rest of us on this. The electric cars are going to be in the Powerhouse and we've got two years of guarantee on the cars and more are asking about coming in.

Vice Chairperson Glancy said it will be an extension of the Route 66 Museum. You will have to go through the Museum to access the Electric Car Museum which will be downstairs where they use to have banquets and stuff. The Museum is paying for some alterations at the back of the Powerhouse building to prevent you from accessing the cars without going through the Route 66 Museum. They didn't want it to be just a willy-nilly access. We were told we were only guaranteed six months of it and were told that more cars were interested in coming and there's room for more.

Member Russell stated that last she heard they have two years with the few cars they have there now and several other people are interested. There is a gentleman that's with the Sandbox group that said that he has the authority to pick up these cars for us. That was one of the big things

about getting the cars out here and he has nicely offered to bring the autos in. That's where it stands at this point. That's when I got Josh's letter and I don't know what was and what wasn't.

Chairperson Wagner asked if any of the members received an email.

8. DIRECTORS REPORT

Director Meersman said there were some exciting things going on at Metcalfe Park. The new ramada is in there with sidewalks going to it and permanent steps instead of the old rusted steel steps that were removable. Now they are concrete and in the process of putting a hand railing up and it's almost finished and looking really good.

The City and the Sounds of Kingman are having a development agreement with the Sounds of Kingman to raise money for stage at Metcalfe. With that, they will have ADA accessibility, lighting, updated electrical that will handle sounds systems. There will also be a permanent cover over it. They hope to have that done within a year.

It's really exciting to make a nice park even nicer.

Chairperson Wagner said she read the article in the newspaper on the project.

9. ANNOUNCEMENTS BY DIRECTOR AND COMMISSION MEMBERS

Limited to announcements, availability/attendance at conferences and seminars, requests for agenda items for future meetings.

Commission Member Russell asked why the meetings are every four months when we have so much that needs to be done and she's concerned because there are certain things we could be doing. It's such a big stretch in between.

Chairperson Wagner stated we had to be in compliance with city commission rules.

Director Meersman stated that we went to quarterly meetings because there wasn't that much going on but that can always be addressed. We can put it on the agenda to be discussed and changed.

Member Russell said we're going to have Highway 11 going through. What's going to happen to Camp Beale Springs the park up there, the Court House. We need to get busy on before they're gone. We have no say unless we say what we want to say now rather than waiting until the thing is coming through and they plowing up our Beale Park.

Member Hansen said the September 26th event will put us maybe two meetings, so if we really wanted to do something. It takes one meeting to catch up because it's been so long we've forgotten. We may want to take a look at possibly having more meetings. Particularly if Joni comes and wants to talk to us about the C.A.R.E., she may have some insight on some things that this particular commission could be helping. We may want to think about every other month.

Member Florisi said that was the schedule we use to be on.

Director Meersman said we can put this on the agenda to be discussed. These meetings do cost money. Paying staff, the preparation that goes into the meetings. If there is a lot of productive stuff to talk about and do, Karen spends a lot of time going over these minutes and trying to figure out what everybody is talking about. There are challenges with the meetings too that's why we had to go to quarterly.

Chairperson Wagner asked if we had to vote on that. She felt there was something going on, that we were one of the few commissions that met more. She thought it was part of the city charter or something.

Member Floris stated that Mr. Meersman said that the city wanted all these commissions to be brought onto the same schedule.

Director Meersman said that a lot of different commissions meet at a lot of different times. Some are as needed, some meet twice a month, some meet every other month. It was just at the time there wasn't a lot of stuff to go over and that could be determined at another meeting if we want to schedule it and discuss it.

Member Hansen thought it was efficiency versus economics. If we're efficient at what we want to accomplish quarterly, then that's great. But economically if we're just coming and reminding ourselves of what we talked about at the last meeting, I think we have to take a look at what we have to do in the next while and it's economically for the good of the community and the city.

Recorder Fogg stated that we are violating open meeting laws by discussing this.

Director Meersman stated that if you want this on the agenda we can do that but we can't sit here and discuss it.

Director Meersman stated that the next scheduled meeting will be February 24th.

Director Meersman told the members that this would be his last meeting as the liaison for the Historic Preservation Commission. Bill Shilling will be taking over, they've talked about it and he will be really good for this commission. He is very knowledgeable about the history of Kingman. He's excited about and it will be better for the city.

Chairperson Wagner stated that we will miss you and we know where your office is.

MOTION by Vice Chairperson Glancy to **ADJOURN** the meeting of the Historical Preservation Commission, **SECONDED** By Member Laura Hansen, **MOTION** was **APPROVED** by 5-0 vote.

ADJOURNMENT: 6:08 p.m.

STATE OF ARIZONA)
COUNTY OF MOHAVE)ss:
CITY OF KINGMAN)

CERTIFICATE OF COMMISSION MINUTES

I, Karen Fogg, Parks & Recreation Administrative Assistant and Recording Secretary of the City of Kingman, Arizona, hereby certify that the foregoing Minutes are a true and correct copy of the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Historical Preservation Commission of the City of Kingman held on November 25, 2014.

Dated this 25th day of January, 2015

Karen Fogg, Administrative Assistant and Recording Secretary

Historical Preservation Commission Attendance Sheet

Year Term is Up		Jan.		Feb.		March		April		May		June		July		August		Sept.		Oct.		Nov.		Dec.	
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'14-	Adams, Jan	N		P		N		N		N		N		N		AB		N		N		AB		N	
'15=	Glancy, Mert - V. Chair	O		P		O		O		N		O		O		P		O		O		P		O	
'15=	Wagner, D'Arcy - Chair			P												EX						P			
'14-	Hansen, Laura	M		EX		M		M		Q		M		M		P		M		M		P		M	
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Council	Young, Carole			P												AB						AB			
Director	Meersman, Mike			P												P						P			

Membership Code:

YR - In first 3 year term

YR = In second 3 year term

YR * Appointed to less than 18 month term

YR -- Serving third 3 year term (super majority vote)



Historical Preservation Public Sign-In Sheet

Date: 11-25-2014

"C" Russell
One Taber



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CITY OF KINGMAN
BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS APPLICATION

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FOR MEMBERSHIP ON THE Parks and Rec Commission
Estimated hours per month you can devote to this group: 36

Name Corralyn Dunshie Home Phone # 928-757-5830
Address 2373 Del Mar Ave Alternative Phone # 928-279-5573
Zip Code 86409
Email corkyd@citlink.net

Resident Located in -
Kingman City Limits ☒
Mohave County ☐

Length of Residency 39 years Are you a registered voter? Yes ☒ No ☐

If asked, I would be willing to serve on another board or Commission. Yes ☐ No Maybe

List other boards or commissions interested in:

Golf Course Advisory
Historical Preservation

1. List your educational background.

Some College

2. Please state your occupational background as it relates to the board or commission you are applying for beginning with your current occupation and employer.

Telecommunications Network Engineer Mountain LTD
Telecommunications Manager Frontier
Semi-Retired

3. Describe your involvement in the Kingman community.

Was involved with Rotary
Was a volunteer Roadside Clean-up

4. Describe your leadership roles and/or any special expertise you have which would be applicable to the position for which you are applying.

Was semi-pro Softball player
Was always interested in Sports

Y900

5. Describe why you are interested in serving in this position.

Very impressed with this City's Parks
and Rec programs

6. If you are appointed to any of the boards or commissions you have listed interest in, please list potential conflicts of interest. Explain:

None known

Appointment to this board, commission or advisory committee will require your consistent attendance at regularly scheduled meetings. Please note the times below for each Board or Commission. All meetings are held at the Council Chambers, 310 N. 4th Street, Kingman.

Board of Adjustment	As Needed
Building Board of Appeals	As Needed
Business License Review Board	As Needed
Clean City Commission	3rd Thursday/Monthly @ 5:00PM
Economic Development Marketing Commission	2nd Wednesday/Monthly @ 7:30 AM
Golf Course Advisory Committee	3rd Wednesday/odd months @ 4:30PM
Historical Preservation Commission	4th Tuesday/odd months @ 5:30PM
Industrial Development Board	As Needed
Local Public Safety Personnel Retirement Board	As Needed
Municipal Property Corporation	As Needed
Municipal Utilities Commission	4th Thursday/Monthly @ 5:30 PM
Parks & Recreation Commission	3rd Wednesday/odd months @ 6:00PM
Personnel Board	As Needed
Planning & Zoning Commission	2nd Tuesday/Monthly @ 6:00PM
Tourism Development Commission	1st Thursday/Monthly @ 7:30AM
Transit Advisory Commission	2nd Tuesday/1st month of Quarter @10:00

This application is subject to the Arizona Open Records law and should not be considered confidential.

Signature of Applicant

[Handwritten Signature]

Date

4/21/2015

Please return this application to:

City of Kingman

City Clerk's Office

Fax (928) 753-6867

310 North Fourth Street

Kingman, AZ 86401

For further information, please call: City Clerk's office at (928) 753-5561.

Thank you for taking the time to fill out this application. Volunteers play a vital role in the City of Kingman government. We appreciate your interest.

DAILY MINER



Wednesday, February 11, 2015

Electric Vehicle Museum adds to its Kingman offerings

[Ryan Abella](#)

Miner Staff Reporter

Wednesday, February 11, 2015

KINGMAN - The International Route 66 Festival last August brought plenty of attractions to Kingman for a weekend, and one of them has found a home at the Powerhouse Visitor Center for the foreseeable future.

Eleven electric cars are on loan to the Visitor Center from the Route 66 Historic Electric Vehicle Foundation, which brought the cars to Kingman in August for the festival.

Since then they have been on display in the back room of the Powerhouse for visitors to see. Some of the vehicles on display include a prototype Bombardier NEV, the Electric Shopper Model FG-75, the Kawashock electric motorcycle, and a Model "R" Trident.

"We are seeing people from all over the world signing into the guestbook at the Historic Electric Vehicle Display," said Josh Noble, president of the Powerhouse Visitor Center.

Noble estimates the cars will be there for at least the next 18 months, possibly longer.

"The city has been great. We've been really well received. Our plan is to have it as an ongoing museum," said Roderick Widle, executive director and founder of the foundation.

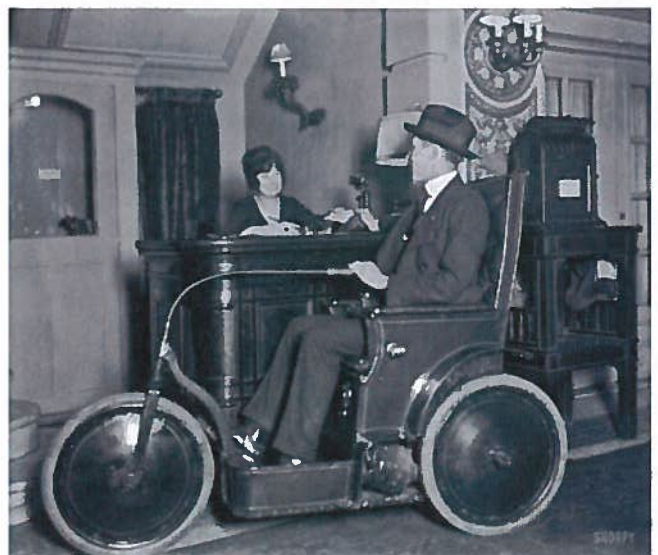
The foundation just acquired a 1914 Custer Chair Car for its collection and will have the vehicle on display in the near future. The car was invented by Levitt Luzern Custer, an entrepreneur and inventor who was a close associate with Wilbur Wright.

"Custer had worked with the Wrights and was an accomplished balloonist and aviator in his own right," said Larry Fisher, one of the curators for the foundation.

The car was created for seniors but eventually became a mobility solution for wounded soldiers



A Detroit Electric Model 60 is among the electric vehicles on display. The line was manufactured from 1907 to 1938. This is a 1930 model. (JC AMBERLYN/Miner)



An undated photo of the 1914 Custer Chair Car in action. (Courtesy)

returning home from World War I.

For more information on the cars in the display and future cars coming, visit the foundation's website at www.hevf.org.

If you want to see one of them for yourself, visit the Powerhouse Visitor Center located at 120 W. Andy Devine Ave. in downtown Kingman.

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Changing Commission meetings from bi-monthly to Quarterly

- With limited budgets many cities have cut out commissions as a cost saving effort, there have been some discussions regarding this in our city as well.
- We feel it is important to continue and get the commission members valuable input.
- We are always looking for areas to save the budget; quarterly instead of bi-monthly.
- This will allow us to keep your input when the Council requests your recommendations.
- With limited budgets there are not many capitol projects to meet, discuss and act upon.
- If something should come up; at Council request we can schedule an emergency meeting.
- Commission members, Council liaisons, and our staff's time is valuable, evident by meeting attendance.
- Changing meetings from bi-monthly to Quarterly will save two meetings per year per commission, 6 for our staff.
- This will allow us to keep your valuable input.

Best 4 months For the Park and Recreation are February, June, August, November,

Below are some of the cost involved with commission meetings that sometimes go unrecognized.

- Over time pay for staff to attend each meeting to record and document the minutes
- Four hours to transcribe minutes.
- Several hours to gather information, preparing agendas and packets for mailing out.
- Agendas, action agendas, and approved minutes have to made public on a timeline.
- I.T. Department recording the meetings and putting them on the website.
- Several hours are spent by each superintendent to prepare their reports.
- Postage, Paper and printing cost to assemble and send out Commission packets.
- The Park and Recreation Department has three commissions that we work with.



Certified Local Government
HISTORIC PRESERVATION FUND PASS-THROUGH APPLICATION
Federal Fiscal Year 2014
DUE DATE: February 28, 2015

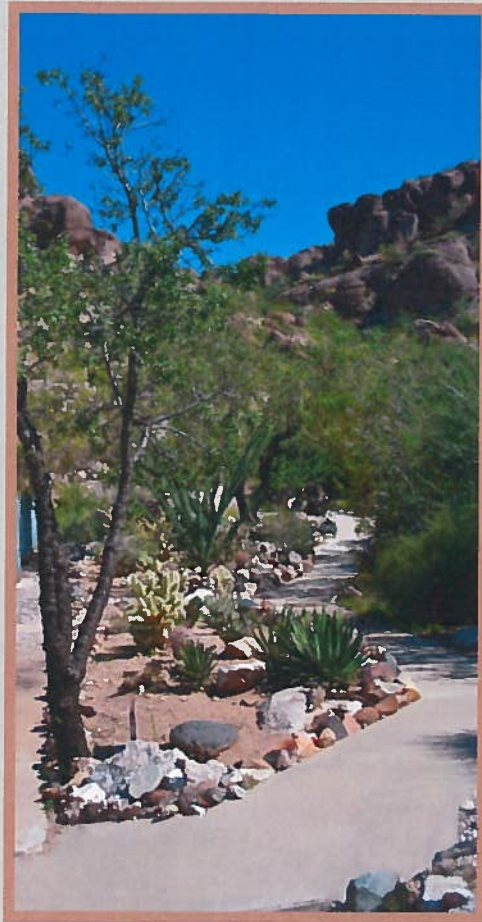


1. **PROJECT NAME:** Arizona Historic Preservation Conference Scholarships
2. **TYPE OF PROJECT:**
- | | | |
|---|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Context Development | <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinance Development | <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinance Update |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Survey and Inventory | <input type="checkbox"/> Nomination Preparation | <input type="checkbox"/> Nomination Update |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Preservation Plan | <input type="checkbox"/> Historic District Plan | <input type="checkbox"/> Design Guidelines |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Design Guidelines Update | <input type="checkbox"/> Local Workshop | X Scholarships |
3. **PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** (Scholarship to cover attending the 2015 Arizona Statewide Historic Preservation Partnership Conference in Flagstaff for \$225 per person. Please include names of people attending.)
4. **RELATIONSHIP OF THE PROJECT TO THE CLGs WORK PRIORITIES:** (Attach statement.)
5. **RELATIONSHIP OF THE PROJECT TO THE GOALS OUTLINED IN THE ARIZONA HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN UPDATE 2009** (Attach a statement regarding the applicable goals, which begin on page 31 of the plan.)
6. **FUNDING:**
- | | | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|--------------|
| ESTIMATED TOTAL PROJECT COST: | <u>\$225 X</u> | <u>\$</u> |
| GRANT FUNDS REQUESTED: | <u>\$</u> | <u>100</u> % |
| MATCHING FUNDS: | <u>\$ 0</u> | <u>0</u> % |
| SOURCE OF MATCHING FUNDS*: | <u></u> | |
- *(Please include a letter of intent for the matching funds by the above listed party.)
7. **PROJECT COORDINATOR/CONTACT:**
- NAME:** _____
- TITLE:** _____
- ADDRESS:** _____
- EMAIL ADDRESS:** _____
- TELEPHONE:** _____
8. **MONTHS TO COMPLETE THE PROJECT:** N/A
(Project Period Ends on September 30, 2015 with no possibility for extension.)
9. **PROJECT PARTNERS:** N/A
10. **Sign the Certifications Regarding Debarment, Suspension and Other Responsibility Matters, Drug-Free Workplace Requirements and Lobbying (DI-2010) on page 3 and return it with this form and the required attachments.**

Return this form by February 28, 2015 to:

Eric Vondy
Preservation Planner
State Historic Preservation Office
1300 W. Washington Street
Phoenix, AZ 85007
Email: evondy@azstateparks.gov
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SHARON HACKLEY
NATURE TRAIL



A Restoration Project Sponsored By The
Kingman Historical Preservation Commission

**REGIONAL DESERT PLANTS
IN A QUIET NATURAL SETTING**

Located Next To Palo Christi Elementary School
500 Maple Street • Kingman, Arizona
(Maple & 5th Street In Historic Downtown Kingman)

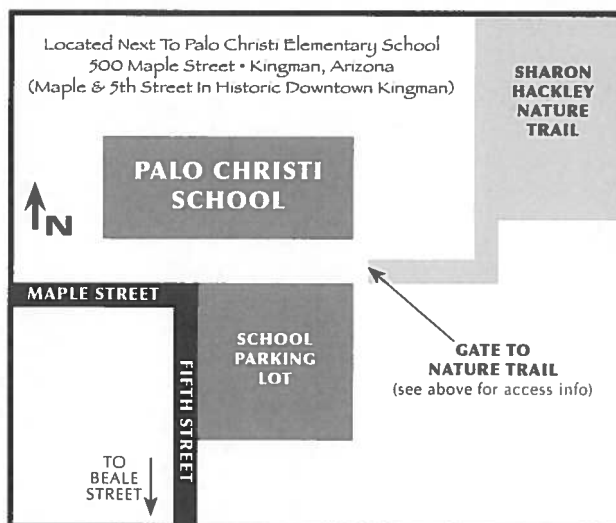
Established by award winning science teacher, Sharon Hackley, as an outgrowth of her Masters thesis; the nature trail is located adjacent to the historic Palo Christi Elementary School in Kingman, Arizona where she taught third and fourth grade. As director of the school's Gifted and Talented Program for Advanced Students, Ms. Hackley utilized the nature trail she created as a living educational environment for her students. In 2011 the Kingman Historical Preservation Commission renovated the trail, and made it accessible to educational groups and the general public.

The site includes a paved lower trail and an unpaved upper trail. The improved portions include plant identification markers and several benches to sit and enjoy the local landscape and wildlife.

**BE SURE TO
BRING YOUR CAMERA
& DRESS FOR CONDITIONS**

Access Key & Trail Guide Available At
Kingman Parks & Recreation Office
3333 North Harrison Street • 928-757-7919
or

Kingman Powerhouse Visitor Center
120 West Andy Devine Avenue • 928-753-9889
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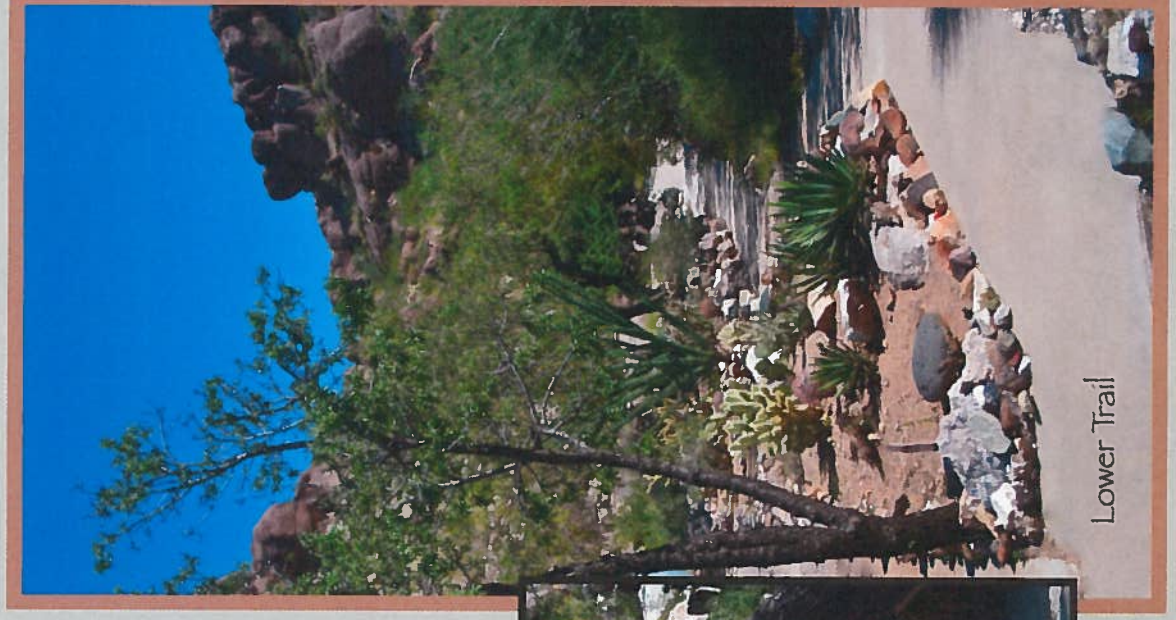
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SHARON HACKLEY NATURE TRAIL GUIDE



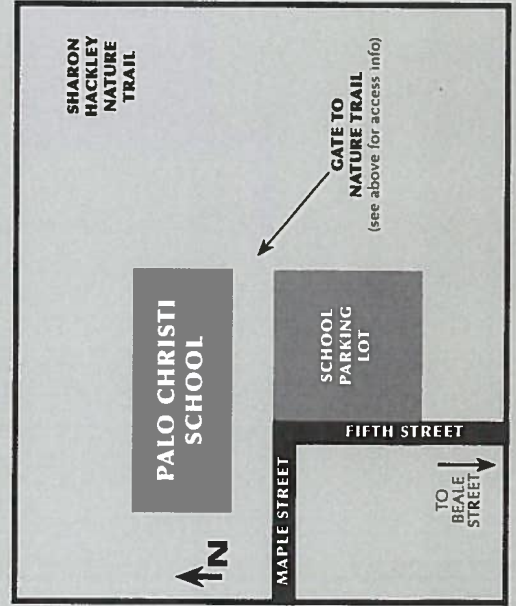
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NATURE TRAIL HISTORY & RESTORATION



LOCATION & DIRECTIONS

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The Desert Willow is a native North American shrub or tree common in hot, dry areas of the southwestern United States and Mexico where the soft, willow-like leaves and beautiful flowers are a welcome relief in an often harsh landscape. It is commonly found in desert washes and along riverbanks at elevations below 1800 meters; and is cultivated for its large, showy flowers, and drought tolerance.

Desert Willow can reach 40 feet in height and a width of 25 feet. Although natural growth tends toward a very irregularly shaped large shrub, it can also develop a leaning, twisting trunk and open, spreading crown that can easily be pruned into a conventional tree shape.

Desert Willow has fairly loose, open branching with slender and light green deciduous leaves that are 5 to 12 inches long but have no appreciable fall color change. It is the blossoms of the Desert Willow that make it so special. The extremely fragrant, orchid-like blooms occur at the tips of the branches and on new growth; and are most often seen in shades of lavender and pink. Bees find them irresistible and a delightful honey is produced from the flowers. By early autumn, the scented flowers, which appear between May and September after summer rains,

are replaced by slender linear pods 4 to 12 inches long containing numerous winged seeds that remain dangling from the branches and serve to identify the tree after the flowers are gone. The seeds are quite popular with birds.

The common name is derived from its willow-like leaves, but it is a member of the bignonia family, Bignoniaceae. Chilopsis is closely related to the genus Catalpa and hybrids can be created between the two genera. They can be propagated via cuttings.

Unlike the weak wood of true willows, the wood of the Desert Willow was used by Native Americans to craft their hunting bows. The wood has also been used for fence posts, and baskets are often woven from the twigs. Parts of the plant have also been used in traditional medicine to treat fungal infections, wounds and coughs.

Desert Willow should be grown in full sun and is extremely drought tolerant. While the trees will grow better with adequate moisture, they will not tolerate overwatering, and do best with just enough water to keep them blooming and green through the warm months of summer. Pruning is required to develop a strong structure.

CHARACTERISTICS & DISTRIBUTION

USDA Symbol: CHLI2
Habit: tree or large shrub
Size Class: 12 to 36 feet
Origin: native to North America
USDA Hardiness Zones: 7B through 11
Range: south-central Texas south to Nuevo Leon and Zacatecas, west to southern California and Baja California
Native Habitat: ditches, ravines, depressions, streams, river banks
arroyos, swales, and washes in desert areas
Growth Rate: medium
Duration: perennial
Leaf Retention: deciduous

BLOOM & FRUIT INFORMATION

Flower Size: 1 to 1.5 inch
Flower Colors: lavender, pink, rose, purple, violet, white also two toned variations; throat often yellow-tinged
Bloom Time: April through September, heaviest May to June but will continue to bloom sporadically throughout the warm season after rains; remove spent flower to encourage continued blooming
Fruit: green to brown elongated pods 4 to 12 inches long
Seed Collection: gather seeds from late summer through autumn when the pods have dried and turned brown but before they split open to release feathery seeds
Seed Treatment: no treatment necessary
Seed Storage: seeds may be stored dry in the refrigerator over winter (other references suggest storage in wet sand)

GROWING CONDITIONS & CARE

Light Requirement: grows in full sun
Water Requirement: low, water occasionally during prolonged drought
Soil Conditions: well-drained limestone soils preferred but also does well in sands, caliches, granite and rocky soils where minimal organic content is the norm; can tolerate loam, acidic or alkaline soils; won't grow as fast or get as large in clay soil but won't suffer either
Weather Tolerances: high drought, heat and cold tolerance; can survive temperatures as low as 10 degrees Fahrenheit; can be drought-deciduous in some regions
Care: allow to dry out between waterings as it will encourage more extensive waves of blooms; avoid excessive water and fertilizer as it can lead to overly rapid growth, a weaker plant and fewer blooms; prolonged saturation can result in rot
Pruning: prune frequently during first few years of growth to encourage minimal or single trunks with a strong structure, to encourage branching and blooming cut back during winter dormancy by a third
Propagation: use fresh seeds for best germination, dormant or semi-hardwood cuttings in late summer
Commercially Available: yes

BENEFITS

Ornamental Characteristics: showy and drought-tolerant ornamental tree with interesting foliage, fragrant and decorative summer flowers, no litter problem from seeds which are showy and persistent on tree
Wildlife: nectar source; seed source; attracts birds, butterflies and hummingbirds; moderately deer resistant; larval host for white-winged moth
Pest Resistance: no pests are normally seen on the tree
Medicinal Uses (Mexico): floral decoctions taken for coughs and bronchial problems
Other Uses: erosion control, bows and baskets, good honey plant

DESERT WILLOW

Chilopsis linearis

OTHER COMMON NAMES: Sweet Desert Willow, Flowering Willow, Trumpet Flower, Flowering Willow, Willowleaf Catalpa, Desert Catalpa, Flor de Mimbre, Mimbre, Bow Willow



Information Sources: United States Forest Service, Department of Agriculture Fact Sheet ; Native Plant Database, Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center, University of Texas at Austin; Texas A&M Department of Agriculture

Lettering On Identifications Is Inconsistent

Only First Word Of Scientific Name Should Be Capitalized

Each Word Of Common Name Should Be Capitalized

Scientific Names Should All Be In Italic

Be Consistent With Use Of v. or var. For Variety - Variety Should Be Dropped

Several Incorrect Spellings

Agave | Agave angustifolia var. marginata or Variegated

Scientific Name Is Incorrect (angustifolia is a Caribbean variety with white along edges of leaves)

Correct Corresponding Common Name For Correct Variation Needed

Variety Should Be Dropped From Scientific Name

Plant Needs To Be Identified Correctly & A New Sign Made

Agave | Agave Stricta

Scientific Name Is Incorrect Or Sign Is Next To Wrong Plant

Common Name For Agave stricta is Hedgehog Agave

Plant Needs To Be Identified Correctly & A New Sign Made

If There Is A Hedgehog Agave, Sign Needs To Be Corrected & Moved

Agave palmeri | Agave palmeri Engelm

Common Name Should Be Palmer's Century Plant

Scientific Name Should Be *Agave palmeri*

Lettering On Right Side Is Chipping Off

Sign Should Be Redone With Correct Information

Barrel Cactus | Ferocactus wislizeni

Common Name For This Scientific Name Should Be Fishhook Barrel Cactus

Scientific Name Is Questionable - Plant Does Not Look Like Photos Of This Cactus Type

Identification Should Be Checked Further

Correct spelling of scientific name is *Ferocactus wislizeni*

Sign Should Be Corrected

Beavertail Cactus | Opuntia basilaris

There Is No Plant Next To This Sign

Relocate Sign To Correct Location

Cane Cholla Cactus | Opuntia spinosior

There Are MANY Varieties Of Cholla That Look VERY Similar, Variety Should Be Verified

Actual Scientific Name Is *Cylindropuntia spinosior* As Opposed To *Opuntia spinosior*

Common Name Is Just Cane Cholla Or Cane Prickly Pear

Scientific Name Should Be Verified & Signage Corrected

Cat Claw | *Acacia gregg*

Actual Scientific Name Is *Senegali greggii*

Common Name Is Catclaw Acacia

Sign Should Be Corrected

Century Plant | *Agave parryi*

Scientific Name Is Incorrect (*Agave parry* Doesn't Look Anything Like This Plant)

Scientific Name Should Be *Agave americana*

Plant Needs To Be Identified Correctly & A New Sign Made

If There Is A Mescal or Parry's Agave, Sign Needs To Be Corrected & Moved

Claret Cup Cactus | *Echinocereus triglochidiatus* var. *melanacanthus*

There Is No Cactus Next To This Sign

There Are MANY Varieties Of *Echinocereus* & Three Varieties Of *Melanacanthus*

See Hedgehog Cactus, Also A Form Of *Echinocereus*, Are Both Marked Correctly??

Scientific Name Is Actually Spelled *Echinocereus triglochidiatus*, Variety Is Also Spelled Wrong

Variety Should Be Dropped From Scientific Name

Cactus Is Spelled Wrong On Sign

Most Widely Used Common Name Is Claret Cup Hedgehog

Sign Should Be Corrected & Located Next To Correct Plant

Desert Christmas Cactus | *Opuntia leptocaulis*

Actual Scientific Name Is *Cylindropuntia leptocaulis*

Sign Should Be Corrected

Desert Pear | *Opuntia basilaris*

There Is No Plant Next To This Sign

The Trail Plant ID List Has This Noted As *Opuntia ficus-indica* (Incorrect As That Variety Is From India)

Common Name Corresponding With Scientific Name Is Beavertail Cactus

Note There Is A Sign With The Correct Information Above That Is Also Not Located Next To A Plant

Rework This Sign For A Different Plant

Desert Willow | *Chilopsis linearis*

Four Wing Salt Brush | *Atriplex canescens*

Sign Not Installed & Broken Into Multiple Pieces

Is Sign In Correct Place?? Is There A Better Sample Of This Plant??

Common Name Should Be Four Wing Saltbush (Not Salt Brush)

Sign Needs To Be Remade & Placed Correctly Or Disposed

Globe Mallow | *Sphaeralcea*

Many Varieties of *Sphaeralcea*, Scientific Name Incomplete. Should Sign Be Corrected??

Sign Not Installed

Is Sign In Correct Place?? Is There A Better Sample Of This Plant??

Should Sign Be Moved?? Install Sign Correctly

Golden Eye | *Viguiera deltoidea*

Common Name For This Plant Is Desert Sunflower

Sign Should Be Corrected

Gray Thorn | *Zizyphus obtusifolia* v. *canescens*

Common Name Should Be Lotebush or Greythorn (all one word)

Variety Should Be Dropped From Scientific Name

Sign Should Be Corrected

Hedgehog Cactus | *Echinocereus engelmannii*

There Are MANY Varieties Of *Echinocereus*, Is This The Correct Scientific Name??

See Claret Cup Hedgehog, Also A Form Of *Echinocereus*, Are Both Marked Correctly??

Common Name Should Be Engelmann's Hedgehog Cactus

Determine Which *Echinocereus* This Actually Is

Correct Sign ??

Mistletoe | *Phoradendron flavescens*

Sign Not Installed, Moved To Wrong Place ???

Is Scientific Name Accurate ?? *Phoradendron californium* Is Desert Or Mesquite Mistletoe

Actual Scientific Name Is *Phoradendron leucarpum* (*flavescens* Is Considered A Synonym)

Actual Common Name is American Or Western Mistletoe

Sign Should Be Corrected & Relocated Next To Correct Plant

Mormon Tea | *Ephedra fragilis*

Is This The Correct Scientific Name, This Variety Seems To Be Common In The Mediterranean

E. trifurca, *E. viridis*, *E. torreyana*, *E. funerea* & Others Are More Common To Western US

Relocate Sign Next To Better Example If Possible

Verify Species & Correct Sign

Ocotillo | *Fouquieria splendens* Engelm

Scientific Name Should Be Just *Fouquieria splendens*

Correct Sign ???

Prickly Pear Cactus | *Opuntia basilaris*

Opuntia basilaris Is A Beavertail Cactus As Noted Above

There Is Already A Sign For That Plant That Needs To Be Relocated Next To Correct Plant

Opuntia engelmannii Is A Species Of Prickly Pear With 3" Spines

There Are MANY Varieties Of *Opuntia*

Many Other Forms Of Prickly Pear Seem To Have Much Shorter Spines

Prickly Is Spelled Wrong On The Sign

Plant Needs To Be Identified Correctly & A New Sign Made